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BEFORE THE POSTAL RATE COMMISSION WASHINGTON, D.C. 20268-0001

EXPERIMENTAL RATE AND SERVICE CHANGES TO IMPLEMENT NEGOTIATED SERVICE AGREEMENT WITH CAPITAL ONE SERVICES, INC.

Docket No. MC2002-2

MOTION FOR LATE ACCEPTANCE OF NOTICES OF UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE OF INTENT TO CROSS-EXAMINE OCA WITNESSES SMITH AND CALLOW

The United States Postal Service hereby moves that its notices of intent to conduct oral cross-examination of Office of the Consumer Advocate witnesses Smith and Callow be accepted one day late. The delay was due to an oversight. Inasmuch as undersigned counsel informed counsel for OCA of the oversight as soon as it was discovered late in the afternoon yesterday, the Postal Service does not believe any party would be prejudiced by the delay.

Respectfully submitted,

UNITED STATES POSTAL SERVICE

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

I hereby certify that I have this day served the foregoing document upon all participants of record in this proceeding in accordance with section 12 of the Rules of Practice.

Scott L. Reiter

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